ACTIVITY CALENDAR

OCTOBER

*Newspaper & Coffee @ 9:30 Mon-Sat

*Games in Fireweed Mondays @ 1:30

*Sing-a-long every Tuesday @ 1:30

*BINGO is every Wednesday @ 1:30

*Beauty Salon open every Thursday with Vicki

*Exercise every Tuesday and Thursday @ 10:30

*Sensory Care 3rd Floor Thursdays @ 1:30

*Popcorn and a Movie every Thursday @ 5:30

*Library time with the preschool Thursdays @ 2:15 & Fridays @ 10:15

*Ice Cream Social every Friday @ 1:30

*Every Sunday @ 1:30 local Church Service on the 3rd Floor



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KETCHIKAN PIONEER HOME

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GREETINGS FROM THE ADMINISTRATOR

Happy Fall!

We are happy to be welcoming Fall and all of the fun activities that accompany this season.

The KPH will be participating in the Aging and Disabilities Resource Fair on Saturday at the Plaza from 10-3:00.

Please come by and say hello or pick up an application for admission if you need one.

I will be traveling to Anchorage next week to meet with fellow Administrators and Division Director Vickie Wilson. These are challenging times but we hope to meet and share best practices on adding value and efficiency to each of our homes as we look to continue to reduce costs. I know many of you have been in contact with me as we have worked to brainstorm cost saving measures.

Thank you for your continued patience as we have held positions vacant and eliminated others. Despite the challenge we are excited about the opportunities to be creative and as always, the staff of the KPH make me so proud with their positive attitudes and their willingness to think outside the box.

Julie Sande, Administrator



LOOKING FORWARD

Please join us for our Halloween Party on October 30th at 3:00p.m. We are also having a Trick or Treat costume parade at 10:15 a.m. and 3:00p.m. for our preschool classes. It's a busy day at the Home so please let us know if you have time to volunteer or just join in the fun!

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FIRST FAMILY DINNER

We love the Fall season for lots of reasons but our Family and Friends Dinner is one of the best reasons to welcome October.

The first Family and Friends Dinner is scheduled for Thurs-

day, October 15th. @ 5:00 p.m. The cost is \$10.00 and the menu looks fabulous!



Our dedicated Boy Scout Troop servers!

Menu

Appetizer: Anti-Pasta Tray

Salad: Caesar Salad

Entrée: Tortellini's in Pesto Cream Sauce, Dinner Roll Dessert: Carrot Cake with Cream Cheese Frosting

Please be sure to RSVP by con-

tacting Hilary at 228-3372. We hope you will join us for a wonderful evening of friendship and delicious food.

EVACUATION TRAINING

Special thanks to Michele Crosson of Nana Management and Mark Schiller from Maintenance for volunteering to help train staff to learn how to use the Evac-Trak device while the elevator was being replaced. Thankfully we did not need to use our new found knowledge but we felt better knowing we were more prepared to keep the residents safe in the event of an emergency.



NEED A LIFT?



The elevator replacement project was completed on time and we are so pleased to have it up and running just in time for the rainy weather. Special thanks to H&SS Facilities Maintenance, Otis, Chaz Edwardson and crew and to all of you for your patience.



LIBRARY TIME

Library Time is back by popular demand! Our preschool students have returned and we are so happy to be spending our Thursday afternoons & Friday mornings with them while sharing some of our favorite childhood story books. If you have a minute

please stop by and witness this wonderful intergenerational program.



Residents Frances
Bishop and Nick Nickerson sharing stories
during Library Time.



KPH FOUNDATION NEWS

The KPH Foundation is a non-profit agency whose sole purpose is to assist the residents of the Pioneer Home with services and equipment not otherwise provided.

If you would like to make a donation to the KPH Foundation please send it to the KPH Foundation c/o:

141 Bryant St. Ketchikan, AK 99901.

Don't forget when filling out your new PFD application for 2016 that the KPH Foundation is an approved non-profit agency and you can Pick, Click and Give to the Foundation!



Birthday Girl Mary Stochelrodt enjoys a little home made birthday cake.

Bob Sivertsen

Alaire Stanton

Nerissa Buendia

Bill Moran

Ed Zastrow

Ann Thompson

Terry Wanzer

Mona O'Dell

Fred Monrean

Sherrie Slick

Idonna Hanson

Ray Hendricks

Linda Koons Auger

PIONEER TEA

Members of the Pioneers of Alaska Auxiliary visited us for a lovely Autumn Tea party. We have many residents who are members of this fraternal organization and it was so nice to gather for tea. The Pioneers of Alaska is an organization whose purpose is to preserve the early history of Alaska and its membership is open to men and women who have

been residents of Alaska for 30 years.





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Alaska Pioneer Home Mission
Statement:

Providing Elder Alaskans a home and community, celebrating life through its final breath.

10/05 Foundation Lunch @ 12:00 p.m.

10/06 Bible Study with Pastor Keith (Tuesdays @ 3:00)

10/07 Casino Night in the Great Room @ 5:30 p.m.

10/09 All City BINGO @ Peace Health Long Term Care

10/12 Resident Council Meeting @ 1:30 p.m.

10/15 Family and Friends Dinner (a) 5:00 p.m.

10/21 Monthly Birthday Party @ 3:00 p.m.

10/21 Karaoke Tonight @ 6:00 p.m.

10/28 Lady Bug Preschool visit @ 2:30 p.m.

10/30 Trick or Treat with preschool @ 10:15 a.m. and Pioneer Home Party @ 3:00

LOOKING FORWARD TO THE LADY BUGS

The Lady Bug preschool class of Holy Name has been among our most dedicated group of volunteers over the years. Miss Diana has been helping establish relationships between our residents and her students in such a meaningful way. This year we also welcome teacher aide Miss Maureen. Thanks so much Holy Name Lady Bugs, we look forward to seeing you on the 28th.

Happy Birthday

RESIDENTS

Kathlyn Linne 10/17/1926

STAFF

Hilary Koch 10/02 Dante Mojica 10/05 Sue Mickelson 10/06 Gerlyn Cachero 10/19 Nida Manabat 10/21 Darlita Naval 10/29 Angelina Sevilla 10/29 "May all your future years be free from disappointment, care or strife, that every birthday you will be a little more in love with life."



POND REHABILITATION

Special thanks to the KPH Resident Council for helping to purchase a new liner for the garden pond. The residents voted to use some of the donated funds from the KPH summer Garage Sale to help put a new liner in the pond. The pond was leaking and in disrepair which was very worrisome to the residents. Special thanks also to Mark, Ron and Hilary for helping us with this project.



